

## Message Text

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SUBJ: PL 480 TITLE I: OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

REF: (A) STATE 10171; (B) COLOMBO 0060

1. FOLLOWING IS THE PORTION OF A TELEX FROM DEPUTY FOOD COMMISSIONER TO SRI LANKA EMBASSY WASHINGTON REGARDING CONTRACTING/DELIVERY (PARA 1 (A), REFTEL A): QUOTE. MY UNDERSTANDING OF THE CONTRACT PERIOD IS FROM THE DATE OF THE PURCHASE AUTHORIZATION AWARD UNTIL THE COMPLETION OF DELIVERY. THE REQUEST THAT CONTRACTING PERIOD THROUGH MAY AND DELIVERY PERIOD THROUGH JUNE NOT UNDERSTOOD REQUEST CLARIFY. THE DELIVERY SCHEDULE SHOULD BE AS STIPULATED IN MY CABLE NO. 4 (SEE REFTEL B), WHICH IS BASED ON OUR REQUIREMENTS OF FLOUR FOR ARRIVAL IN SRI LANKA. END QUOTE.

2. THE EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE USDA'S COMMENTS.

3. THE CENTRAL BANK OF CEYLON WILL HANDLE FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS IN COLOMBO, AND MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST WILL  
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BE THE ONLY BANK AT THE US END.

4. THE FOOD COMMISSIONER AND THE EMBASSY APPRECIATE THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN PARA 2, REFTEL A.  
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